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PATENT APPLICATION
Docket No. 15436.249.24.1



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of)
Huang et al.)
Serial No.: 10/042,935) Art Unit
Filed: January 9, 2002) 2874
Conf. No.: 4597)
For: FIBER OPTICAL DEVICES WITH HIGH POWER)
HANDLING CAPABILITY)
Examiner: Sarah U. Song)
Customer No.: 022913)

AMENDMENT "A"

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action of October 9, 2003 (paper no. 9), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments being on page 6 of this paper.